# Quantum Computing Topical Group

Submitting White Papers for the Snowmass Process

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https://snowmass21.org/computational/quantum\_computing

These slides are available here: <u>bit.ly/QCSnowmassSlides</u>

# Particle Physics Community Planning Exercise (Snowmass)

- Organized by the Division of Particles and Fields, American Physical Society
- A Community Planning Process to identify and document a scientific vision for the future of particle physics in the U.S. and its international partners
  - define the most important questions for the field of particle physics and identify promising opportunities to address them
  - executed over a 10 year timescale, in the context of a 20-year global vision for the field



### **Snowmass Input Collected Across 10 Frontiers**

- Energy Frontier
- 2. Neutrino Physics Frontier
- 3. Rare Processes and Precision
- 4. Cosmic Frontier
- Theory Frontier\*
- 6. Accelerator Frontier
- 7. Instrumentation Frontier\*
- 8. Computational Frontier\*
- 9. Underground Facilities
- 10. Community Engagement

### **Computational Frontier Conveners**

Computational	Steve Gottlieb	Indiana University
	Oliver Gutsche	Fermilab
	Ben Nachman	Lawrence Berkeley Nat. Lab.

### Computational Frontier Topical Groups

Assess the software and computing needs of the High Energy Physics community emphasizing common needs and common solutions across the frontiers.

- CompF1: Experimental algorithm parallelization
- CompF2: Theoretical calculations and simulation
- CompF3: Machine learning
- CompF4: Storage and processing resource access
- CompF5: End user analysis
- CompF6: Quantum computing
- CompF7: Reinterpretation and long-term preservation of data and code

### Quantum Computing Topical Group

#### Functional areas

- Impact of quantum computing on our community
- Not quantum sensing (IF) or QIS theory (TF)

### Mandate (Scope)

- What is the potential impact of quantum computing on the science goals of the stakeholders?
- What technologies/resources are needed to progress on the path to utilize quantum technologies for the stakeholders?
- How do the needs of the stakeholders overlap with other science domains and industry?

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### Collecting Input on Quantum Computing

- Two-page letters of intent were submitted in August 2020
  - 34 LOIs were submitted
  - Multiple technical areas identified including cross listings
  - PDFs available <a href="https://snowmass21.org/computational/quantum">https://snowmass21.org/computational/quantum</a> computing
- Conveners now coordinating white paper team development
  - 14 teams identified, including duplicates
  - Delayed process to August 2021
- Next step is white paper submission
  - Soft deadline 31 Jan 2022 for arxiv submission
  - Instructions: <a href="https://snowmass21.org/submissions/start">https://snowmass21.org/submissions/start</a>
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  - Remember, these white papers are not proposals for you to do work

# Known White Paper Teams and POCs

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Nick Peters
Travis Humble and Raphael Pooser
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Simon Catterall, Veronika Hubeny, and Dan Harlow
Koji Terashi

Additional white paper teams welcomed - please contact the Topical Group conveners

### Topical Group Report feeds into Frontier Report

- January 31, 2022: White Paper submission to arXiv
  - No latex template required but these will be referenced by the Topical Group report
  - I am thinking about how to use "copy-paste" effectively here
- May 31, 2022: Preliminary reports by the Topical Groups
  - 20-50 pages per Group, reference white papers
- June 30, 2022: Preliminary reports by the Frontiers
  - 20-50 pages per Frontier, reference Topical Group report
- July, 2022: Snowmass Community Summer Study (CSS) at UW-Seattle
- September 30, 2022: All final reports by TGs and Frontiers
- October 31, 2022: Snowmass Book and the on-line archive documents